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SUPER-MINISTRY OF SUPPLIES

Bradley Man Killed As Bus Hits Car On 49

Tragedy Occurs At Peotone; Another Crash At Cemetery

One person was killed and nine injured in two auto crashes occurring in this vicinity Thursday afternoon and evening. Following one crash, a motorist was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

William Rice, 61, of Bradley, was killed outright when he made a left turn in front of a bus on highway 49 near Peotone late yesterday afternoon. Two others in his car were injured. William Condon of Peotone sustained head injuries and Eugene McGowan of Manteno suffered contusions. Both are patients in St. Mary hospital here.

Seven persons were injured following a collision of two autos on the cemetery curve of highway 49 at 9:15 o'clock Thursday night.

Four Badly Hurt
They were F. M. Bandy, 51, leg and head injuries; Rose Groen, 24, of Peotone, basic skull fracture and leg injury; Dorothy Norman, 16; and Betty Croxon, 10, also of Peotone, lacerations and bruises, all passengers in the northbound auto driven by Bandy.

The other machine was operated in the opposite direction by Thomas Wasing, 24, of Paducah, Ky., who is employed on the Wilmington munitions project and is rooming in the 100 block on South East avenue. Dudley sustained a cut on the left eye. Others injured in his car included Zelma Hicks, 17, of 1018 South Schuyler avenue, head and leg injuries; and Vernon Williams, 34 South Cannon avenue, cuts about the forehead and nose.

Dudley failed to make the curve and his auto crashed into the DeCatur machine. He was arrested by city police for driving while intoxicated and reckless driving.

In the Peotone crash, William Rice failed to see the bus approaching and turned left in front of it to enter the Will county fairgrounds at the south edge of Peotone.

Bus Leaves Highway
The bus, driven by the Cozart of Chicago, went off the highway into a cornfield. Passengers were shaken up but not injured. Dr. E. A. Kingston, Will county coroner, will conduct the inquest.

Funeral services for Rice will be held at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon from the Gordon funeral home in Manteno. Burial will be in Mount Grove cemetery. Friends may call at the mortuary this evening and until the services.

Born Feb. 7, 1880 in Rockville township, he is survived by his widow, son John W., daughter Mrs. Pearl Anderson, Mrs. Hazel Radgik, Mrs. Harriet Beaver and eight grandchildren.

Local Police Force Ranks 455th In Size

Washington, D. C., Aug. 29—(RN Special)—Kankakee's police force ranks 455th largest, in proportionate size as compared to population, among the 596 United States cities with populations between 10,000 and 25,000, according to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Kankakee had an average of 0.76 police employees per 1,000 inhabitants in 1940, the FBI report states. This is on the basis of average employment during the calendar year, disregarding seasonal fluctuations. The FBI figure on average police employees in Kankakee is 17.

Compared with Kankakee's 0.76 police employees per 1,000 inhabitants, the United States as a whole has 1.61 police employees per 1,000 population; East north central states as a whole, 1.47; all the cities in Kankakee's population group have an average of 1.05; and Illinois has 1.57.

Largest police force in proportion to population, among the cities in Kankakee's population group, was in Weehauken, N. J., which has 3.53 police employees per 1,000, the FBI report shows. Smallest proportionate police force among these same cities was in Berwick, Pa., 0.30 employees per 1,000 inhabitants.

In the same report which provides these comparisons, the FBI cautions against drawing conclusions from them, pointing out that crime and traffic problems differ in different cities, and that these and numerous other factors make the bare size of a police force as compared to a city's population, not a completely accurate index of its efficiency.

Lindbergh And Wheeler Speak In A Sandlot

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 29—(UP)—Charles A. Lindbergh and Sen. Burton K. Wheeler, D. Mont., address an America First committee rally tonight in a sandlot baseball park, and state police and deputy sheriffs were asked to attend, lest an "embarrassing incident" occur.

Lindbergh and Wheeler speak in a baseball park outside the city limits, because the city council denied them the use of municipal auditorium. Five organizations, including two American Legion posts, petitioned the council to let Lindbergh from speaking on public property.

Twenty policemen and deputy sheriffs escorted him from the airport when he arrived yesterday, and detectives guarded his hotel room last night.

Gov. LeMay Phillips issued a statement calling upon the citizenry to refrain from "checking or bolstering mob" spirit at the rally.

Gerald Mark Vice President Of Club

Gerald Mark has been elected vice president of the Rotary Club, succeeding Ray Isaacs who resigned recently and moved to Elgin. Mark also will fill Isaacs' post as chairman of the program committee, while Howard McCracken was named to fill the vacancy on the board of directors.

At the Rotary luncheon Thursday noon in the Hotel Kankakee, McCracken led a round table discussion on membership and classification.

AUTOS COLLIDE

Vehicles of Allen Hollett, Chicago, and J. H. Beckers, 278 South Evergreen avenue, were involved in a minor accident Thursday evening at Indiana and Station streets.

Two Crimes That Shocked The National Capital Are Solved

Washington, Aug. 29—(AP)—Metropolitan police, claiming an amazing series of confessions from a one-time undertaker's assistant, today announced the solution of two crimes that shocked the capital—the rape-slashing of a pretty government stenographer and the rape-slashing of a young bride of a few weeks.

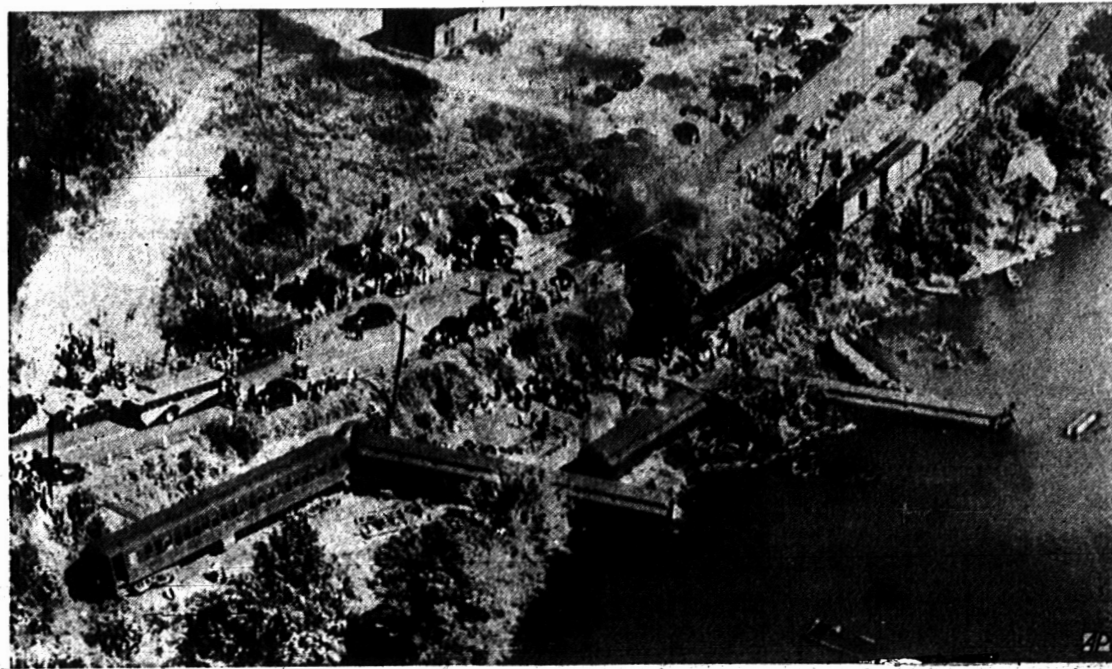
Edward J. Kelly, acting superintendent of police, said that the man—Jarvis Roosevelt Catoe, a 38-year-old Negro—had confessed not only in these two cases, but in a series of five other sex homicides both here and in New York. Three of the victims were white, four Negroes.

The superintendent said he was satisfied that the confessions were true and that he had the man who raped and strangled Miss Jessie Elizabeth Strief, 22, of Moines, Ia., whose nude body was found hidden in the garage of a retired physician here June 16.

Miss Strief was waylaid on her way to a store in mid-afternoon on a Sunday. Kelly also announced that the undertaker's helper had made a confession in the rape-slashing of Mrs. Rose Abramowitz, 25, who was found dead in her apartment here less than a month after she had come to the city as a bride from Kansas City, Mo.

Then came the rape-slashing of Mrs. Evelyn Anderson, 26, whose body was found August 4 in a Bronx lot. It was this case that led to the apprehension of Catoe and Superintendent Kelly said this was the first of the slayings on which a confession was obtained.

Mrs. Anderson's wrist watch was missing when her body was found, detectives said, but a search located it in a pawn shop in New York. It was then traced to a woman who pawned it and police alleged that she had received it from Catoe.



Train Carrying 350 Boys Plunges Into Pond

This is an aerial view of the New Haven train after it left the tracks at South Kent, Conn., and plunged into a pond. An ambulance stands by to carry away injured. Two engineers of the special New York bound

train carrying 350 boys from summer camps were killed. None of the boys, state police said, appeared seriously hurt.

Secret Japanese Note To F.D.R. Creates Mystery

Konoye Believed Alarmed At The Drift Of U. S. Relations With Japan

By LLOYD LEHBAS

Washington, Aug. 29—(AP)—The man-to-man discussion of American-Japanese relations by President Roosevelt and Ambassador Kichisaburo Nomura impressed diplomatic quarters here today as a possible first step toward a sweeping review of all important points at issue between the two nations.

Bolstering this conclusion was an official announcement from Tokyo this morning that the message which Admiral Nomura delivered to the President yesterday outlined the "imperial government's attitude toward the Pacific situation."

The message, this announcement said, was delivered at the behest of Prince Fumimaro Konoye, Japanese premier, after a special cabinet meeting.

Dodges Reply
Asked at his press conference today whether he was hopeful now that "war in the Pacific can be averted," Mr. Roosevelt smilingly dodged making a reply by branding the question too long and too broad.

He had no comment on his meeting with Nomura and, to a question asking whether "We are getting anywhere," he replied there was no news on that today.

Reminded that the second anniversary of the world war was approaching, and asked whether the outlook is any better, Mr. Roosevelt remarked he was making a speech Monday, which is the second anniversary.

Reporters saw in his words an intimation that he might review the war situation in the address, to be delivered from his home at Hyde Park, N. Y., as part of a program arranged by the office of production management.

Conference Significant
The fact that the Japanese initiated yesterday's conference, in which Secretary of State Hull also took part, was held deeply significant—indicative, perhaps, of Tokyo's desire to achieve a peaceful solution of pending problems.

The White House, the state department.

The Weather

(Friday, Aug. 29, 1941)

Hourly temperature readings from 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon to noon today are:

High at noon 77, low at 3 a. m. 57.
A year ago fair, high 85, low 68.
1 p. m. 72 1 a. m. 60
2 p. m. 73 2 a. m. 59
3 p. m. 74 3 a. m. 57
4 p. m. 75 4 a. m. 58
5 p. m. 76 5 a. m. 58
6 p. m. 75 6 a. m. 58
7 p. m. 74 7 a. m. 61
8 p. m. 73 8 a. m. 66
9 p. m. 69 9 a. m. 70
10 p. m. 65 10 a. m. 72
11 p. m. 62 11 a. m. 76
Midnight 60 Noon 77
Sunset today at 7:30, sunrise Saturday at 6:13, sunset at 7:31. moon sets at 12:09.

Fair and warmer tonight and Saturday.

California Murderers Die In Gas Chamber This Noon

San Quentin Prison, Cal., Aug. 29—(UP)—Eldon Hawk, 26, a murderer, thief and gambler who anticipates a "beautiful" life in the beyond so eagerly that he protested when the widow of his victim sought mercy for him, realizes his desire today.

He and John William Lininger, 40, who murdered a man with rat poison and was largely responsible for Hawk's conversion, march together into the gas chamber at 12 noon (est.).

They asked to be buried together in Hilltop prison cemetery, overlooking the penitentiary. Gov. Culbert L. Olson said he would not interfere with the executions. Mrs. Lee Arris, widow of the mechanic Hawk killed in a holdup at Knight's Landing, Cal., last year, had asked Olson to grant him clemency.

Hawk wrote Olson: "I have feared you may be foolish enough to listen to her nonsense. You have no legitimate grounds on which to commute me, or even give me a longer reprieve. I murdered a man in cold blood. I deserve my penalty."

Oil Shortage In The East Causes Alarm

Admiral Land Proposes Construction Of 100 Oil Carrying Barges

Washington, Aug. 29—(AP)—Admiral Emory S. Land proposed today construction of 100 oil carrying barges as the speediest and least expensive solution for shortages of gasoline and fuel oil along the eastern seaboard.

The blunt-spoken chairman of the maritime commission said he was opposed to construction of a huge new pipeline from southwestern oil fields to the east because it would take 750,000 tons of steel badly needed by the navy and maritime commission.

The admiral told a senate committee that the barges could be towed by tankers and other ships and could be constructed at the rate of 20 a month starting in January, with about 100,000 tons of steel.

"I don't know where they are going to get this 150,000 tons of steel (for the pipeline) but if it's to come out of the navy or my ship's, then I'm against it," Land said.

Shortly before this Land said that seizure of 26 tankers by South American republics was under a "pro forma agreement" and that some of these might be used within two months to meet any petroleum shortages in this country.

Industries Suffer
Senator Maloney (D-Conn.) said today that numerous vital defense industries along the eastern seaboard "are terrified because they have only four or five days supply of bunker oil."

The chairman of the special senate committee investigating shortages of gasoline and petroleum products offered this comment as he

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Condition Of Pierre Laval Slightly Worse

French Authorities Seek Accomplices Of The Assassin
Paris, Aug. 29—(AP)—Doctors decided to attempt an emergency operation on Pierre Laval late this afternoon to remove an assassin's bullet from just below his heart to save his life.

Paris, German-occupied France, Aug. 29—(AP)—Pears for the life of Pierre Laval mounted tonight as doctors attributed a sustained high temperature to a possible infection in the assassin's bullet wound, just below his heart.

The possibility of peritonitis was regarded as a mortal peril.

Physicians were said to be considering an operation to extract the bullet in those circumstances even though they had rejected surgery at first as too dangerous and had ordered the bullet left untouched.

Turn for Worse
The doctors evidently were anxious as Laval's temperature stayed at 39 degrees centigrade (102.2 degrees Fahrenheit) from early this morning until 4 p. m. this afternoon.

The sudden turn for the worse occurred overnight. If the high temperature should prove due to the beginning of an infection, it was pointed out, vital organs may be affected, since the bullet is lodged only about one-tenth of an inch from Laval's heart.

It was learned that French police had broadened their counter-drive against opposition elements to include the empire. A military tribunal at Meknes, French Morocco, sentenced two men to six years at hard labor for "an attack on the external security of the state."

A woman was condemned to three years in jail.

Deal Improved
The condition of Marcel Deat—who is also one of the top leaders of the group favoring stronger collaboration with Germany and who was shot at the same time as Laval—was declared improved.

An investigation of the Caen home of the assassin, Paul Collette, was said to have disclosed that he had fought side-by-side with British troops in jail.

Bourbonnais Fall Festival Sunday
The annual fall festival of Maternity church, Bourbonnais, will be held Sunday evening on the church grounds. The Rev. W. J. Suprenant, pastor, invites all friends and former parishioners to the event which will get under way about 4 p. m.

Women of the parish will serve ice cream and homemade cake. Concessions and other entertainment will be provided for all age groups. Free movies will be shown and cash prizes will be awarded. The festival committee includes Adrien Richard, Simon Legris, Omar Traut and Paul Roy.

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Motorist And Wife Stage Street Fight

Patrick Powers, 34, of Chicago, and his wife left that city last night for a trip to Gulfport, Miss., but didn't go far before getting into trouble.

At 3:10 o'clock this morning, Officers Wallace Flannery and Gilbert Bowden were called to Indiana and River streets by residents in that vicinity to quell a disturbance.

They found Pat fighting in the street with his wife. He knocked her glasses off and broke them. This morning in police court, Magistrate Edward Hoennicke assessed a fine of \$8.25 for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

Mrs. Owen McKenna, 312 West Stone street, was fined \$2 in police court yesterday for using obscene and profane language in the presence of her neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Tintari. Mrs. McKenna denied that she used any such language but a few epithets were banded about in court.

Robert Hudson, colored, 900 North Evergreen avenue, was arrested by police on complaint of Charles Nelson, also colored, who charged him with assault and battery, beating up Nelson in an inebriated argument over a woman. Hudson was fined \$6.25.

2 Youths Learn Some Sales "Don't's"

Two Chicago magazine peddlers were arrested last night by Officer Harry Balk on a charge of making misrepresentations in their sales talks.

Warren Tewell, 20, was picked up in the 400 block on North Greenwood avenue after bothering Mrs. Darwin Durbin, 261 South Evergreen avenue, and being overly insistent in his attempts to sell subscriptions. He was fined \$4.25.

His companion, Otto Stevens, 18, was fined \$6.25 for telling prospective customers that the proceeds from his sales were being used for a memorial fund. When asked about this in court, he merely shrugged his shoulders and said, "Well, you've got to tell 'em something!"

Confessed Arsonist Given Probation

Robert McIlroy, 17, of 345 North Sixth avenue, youth who confessed setting fire to the Lowe building in the 100 block on North Fifth avenue last Saturday evening, was given a hearing in county court this morning.

Robert, who is an infantile paralytic sufferer, pleaded guilty to malicious mischief and asked for probation. County Judge C. D. Henry placed him on probation for one year.

Opening Dates For 2 County Schools

Opening date of two more schools were announced today.

The Wichert grade school will resume classes on Wednesday, Sept. 2 instead of on Tuesday, as in past years. Teachers will be Homer Johnson of Peotone and Miss Laura Robillard of St. Anne. A number of improvements have been made in the building.

The Baker school will open at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday morning for registration only, according to Principal Raymond D. Coy. Immediately following registration, the teachers will attend the county institute. They are Miss Geraldine Darrough, Mrs. Mildred Mann, Miss Genevieve Scott and Mr. Coy.

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68 Men Complete National Defense Course Offered Here

A large number of persons visited the Baker Manufacturing company, 154 West Water street, last night during the open house program held upon completion of 15-week night courses sponsored by the Kankakee board of education in connection with the national defense training program.

On display at the above machine shop were products made by the 24 young men enrolled in the class. The trainees, who received this instruction free of charge, also demonstrated various operations on the machines for benefit of visitors.

The men in this course spent three hours a night, five nights a week learning fundamentals of machine or taking refresher courses to equip themselves for national defense jobs. At the Tait Manufacturing company, 417 South Schuyler avenue, 12 others spent six hours a night in the same work.

Other Courses
At the West Kankakee Ornamental Iron Works, 348 South Seventh avenue, 12 were given instruction in welding, while at Kankakee high

Names 7-Man Board In Charge Of Resources

FDR To Regulate Needs Of Military Defense; Civilian Requirements

Washington, Aug. 29—(AP)—President Roosevelt, striving anew to step up arms production, concentrated the control of all the nation's natural resources today in a seven-man board headed by Vice President Wallace.

This board—a super-ministry of supplies—was charged with the duty of deciding what proportion of the country's materials and productive power must go for military essentials, and what may be spared for civilian needs.

"Some Civilian Hardships"
These decisions perforce will result in some civilian hardships, the White House stated, but it reported that the office of production management was seeking to ease them as much as possible.

President Roosevelt issued an executive order last night creating the new body—the supply priorities and allocations board. In effect, it meant a reorganization of some of the existing defense machinery, and a limited re-shuffling of some key defense personnel.

There has been criticism in many quarters for some weeks over the progress of the arms production drive, over reported friction and displaying functions existing in various defense agencies, and over the delay in allocating available raw materials to industry.

Whether the President's action would completely still the criticism was debatable, for a goodly portion of it has been emanating by demands for the appointment of a one-man head for the arms effort, with the broad powers that Bernard M. Baruch wielded as chairman of the war industries board of world war days.

One of the first important commands however, proved favorable. Alvan Macauley, president of the Automobile Manufacturers association, said that the setup appeared "to give us the consolidation of leadership we have needed from the start."

Board Membership
The new board was empowered to deal primarily with the supply question, but its scope evidently extended to numerous other problems which have given rise to complaint. To it Mr. Roosevelt named:

Vice President Wallace; William S. Knudsen, director general of OPM; Sidney Hillman, co-director of OPM; Secretary of War Stimson; Secretary of Navy Knox; Leon Henderson, head of the office of price administration and civilian supply; and Harry L. Hopkins, special presidential assistant in charge of the lease-lend program.

For executive director of the board, the President selected Donald M. Nelson, former Sears Roebuck & Co. executive who has been serving OPM as director of purchases.

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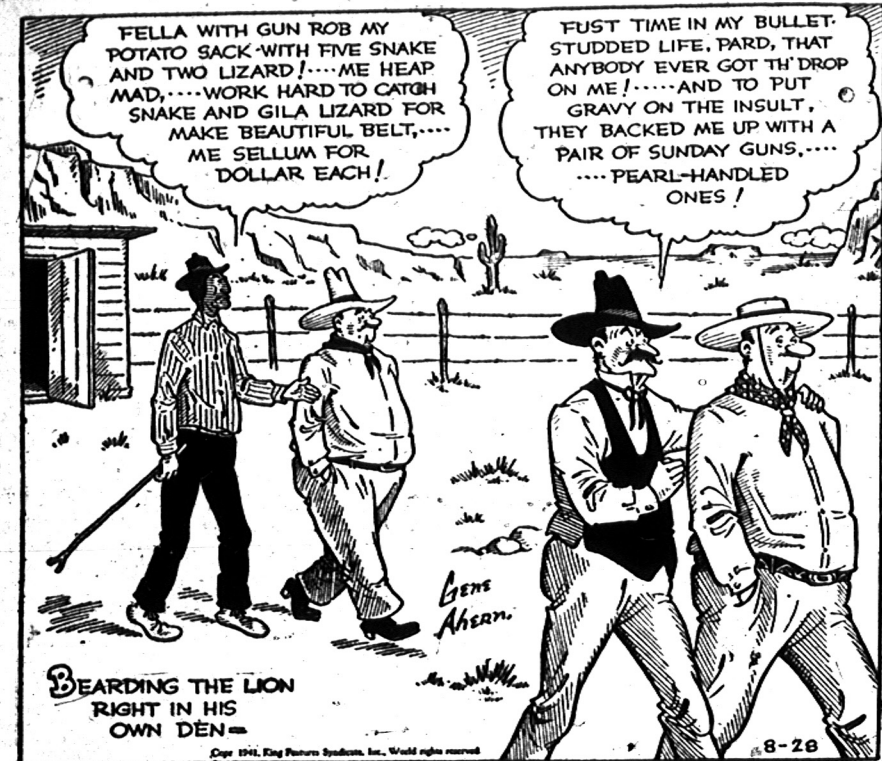
All Business To Close Labor Day

Labor will cease labor on Labor day next Monday in Kankakee. Virtually every business establishment in the city will be closed in observance of the holiday. Exceptions are drug stores and a few neighborhood groceries.

The Republican-News will not be published on that day. Persons having business to transact with banks are reminded to complete it tomorrow to avoid inconveniences.

ROOM and BOARD

By Gene Ahern



JOE JINKS

By Vic



BRINGING UP FATHER

By George McManus



DIXIE DUGAN

By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel



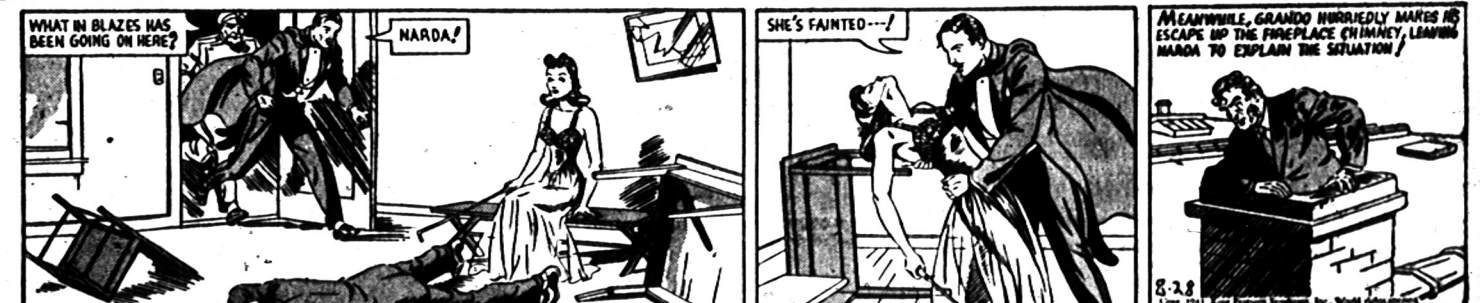
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MANDRAKE THE MAGICIAN

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THE LONE RANGER

By Fran Striker



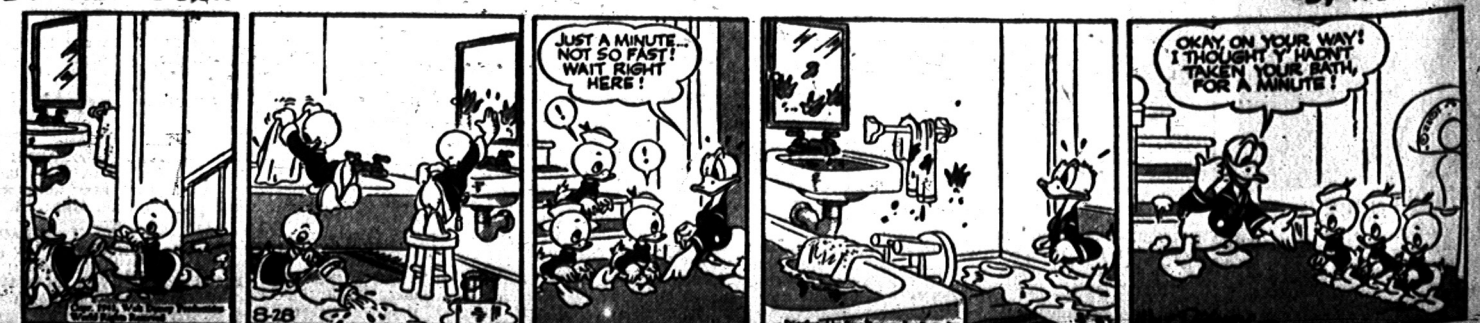
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By Brandon Walsh



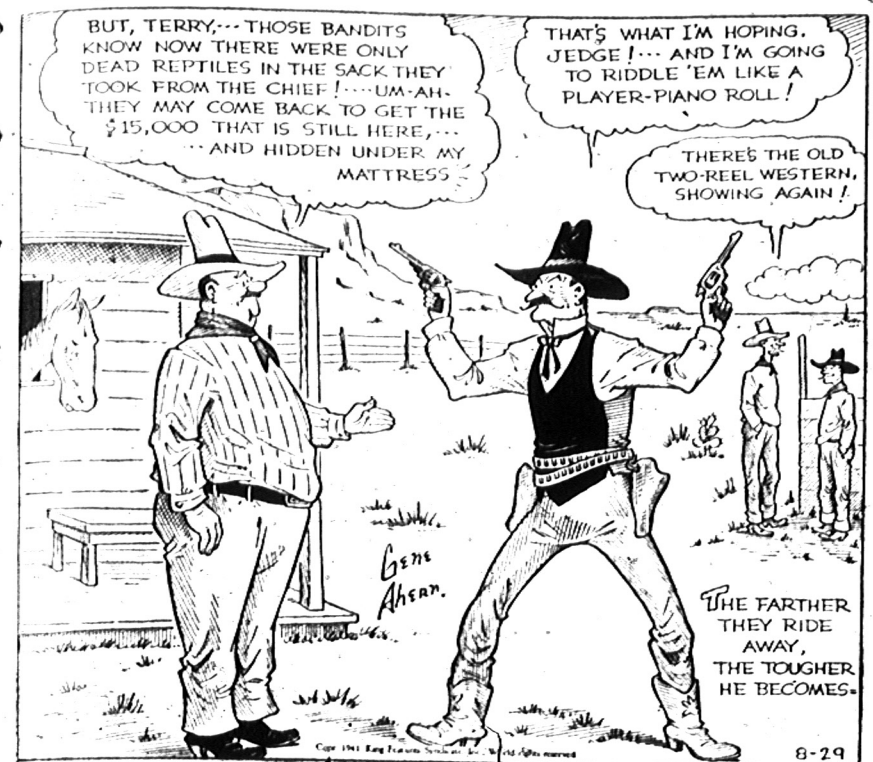
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THEY'LL DO IT EVERY TIME

By Jimmy Halto



JASPER

By Frank Owen



GROWING PAINS

By Phillips



WADDLES

By Bob and Bert

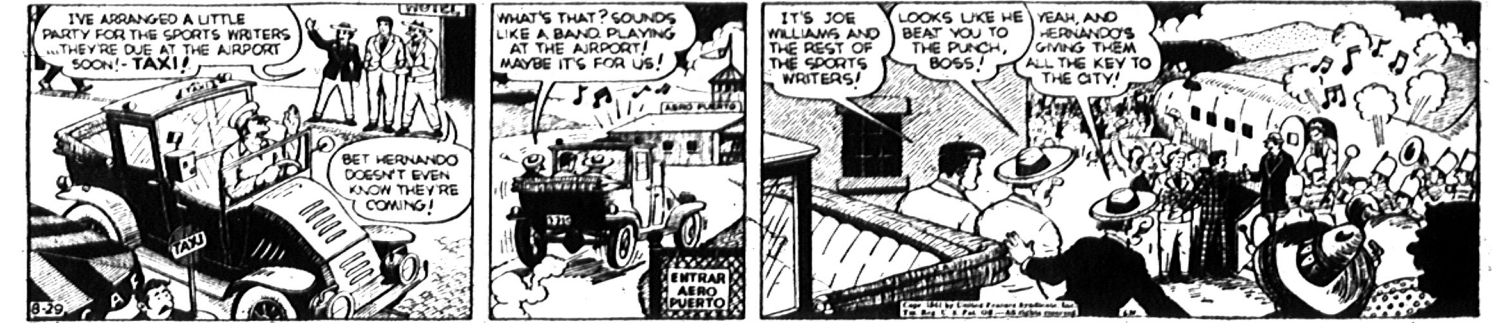


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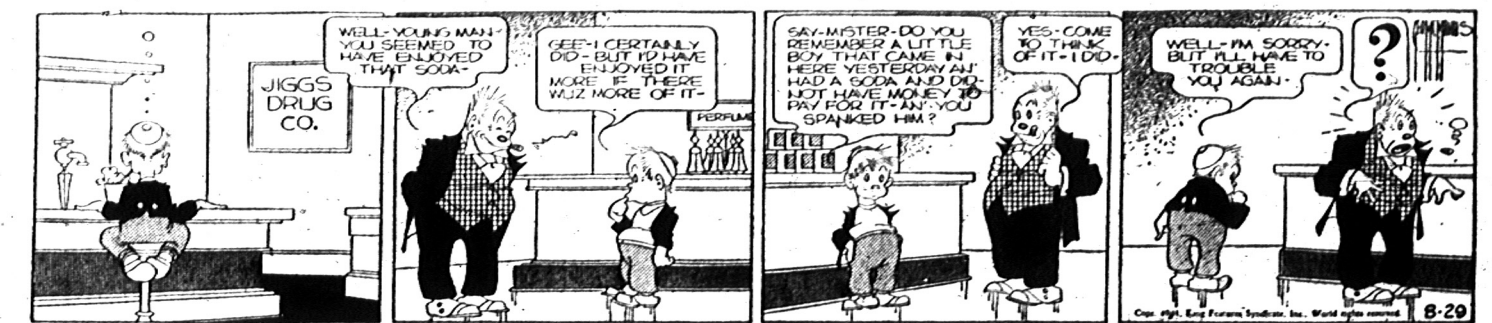
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Business Index In Puerto Rico Sets New High

Government Employees 100,000 To Lead Industries

San Juan, P. R., Aug. 29—(UP)—Puerto Rico, at the end of the first six months of 1941, registered a new record in the rising activity of business and in the standard of living of the population, according to the Chamber of Commerce of Puerto Rico, which, in its monthly survey, draws attention to the fact that government "is the largest industry in the island with more than 100,000 persons" on the pay-rolls.

"Employment is at an all time high," says the survey, "and all indications point to still better employment levels in the winter of 1941-42."

"Sugar prices are good, and the island's quota (set by the U. S. Department of Agriculture) has been increased by more than 100,000 tons. There is talk, in addition, of a move by Washington to permit the grinding of all the cane in the island's fields during the next grinding season. Coffee prices have soared enormously in the past few months, and the surplus has disappeared."

"Rum exports continue to set new records from month to month as imported whiskeys rise in price in the United States market. Even needles, the staple of the island's industries, is feeling the effect of better prices in the United States, caused by the complete disappearance of many foreign sources of supply."

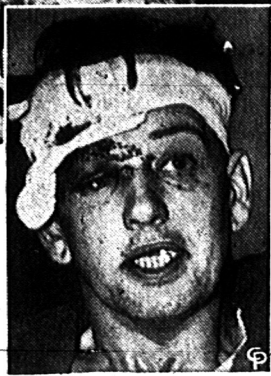
"Still, government is the largest industry in the island with some 100,000 persons employed on construction projects, in the regular government departments and in the armed forces. Defense, in its long term sense, has added an entirely new industry to Puerto Rico's economy—an industry equal to, if not out-rivaling sugar, from the standpoint of payrolls."

On WPA, 28,500, of whom 19,000 are engaged on defense projects and 9,500 on municipal and road jobs; 25,000 on payrolls of contractors working for the army and navy; 30,000 troops in army cantonments, including officers and civilian personnel in the various central offices of the army; 6,250 in the regular federal agencies, including the Puerto Rico relief administration and co-operatives financed by federal funds, and 7,600 on the payrolls of the



Poverty Brings Death

Poverty and disease were blamed by New York police for the murder-suicide deaths of Mrs. Mary Morey and three of her children, shown above, in their Brooklyn home. Police said Mrs. Morey slashed to death Claire, 4; Marcella, 7, and Paul, 3 (left to right), and then committed suicide. Another son, William, Jr., 24, was wounded, critically and her husband, William, a former patrolman, was cut and bruised.



insular government, not including the municipalities of the island, whose employment figures are estimated at more than 3,000.

In the sugar industry, employment reaches a peak of 125,000 for a few weeks at the height of the grinding season, but falls to about 30,000 in the off season which is beginning.

Beaverville

Word was received of the birth of a daughter, Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Logan Lareau of Hammond. The mother is the former Delphine Regnier of this village.

The Beaverville arbor of Gleaners were hosts to various arbor Tuesday evening at a chicken supper celebrating their 32nd anniversary. There were 57 present. The evening was spent at dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fortin entertained on Sunday in honor of their

son Keith's birthday. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Martell and son, Mrs. Amanda Varboncoeur, Amos Fortin, Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Fortin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Fortin and sons and Larry Lambert of this village, Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews and son of Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. William Chartier and sons of Kankakee and Miss Violet Savio of Clifton.

Miss Vivian Dugas of Danville visited Miss Vivian Chartier on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nourie and daughter Elaine returned Sunday from their vacation. They visited relatives in Bradley, Chicago and Ohio.

Miss Angelina Fortin returned Thursday from the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lareau and daughter were in Kankakee on Friday.

Patrick Byron of Remington spent last week with his daughter Mrs. Marcel Varboncoeur.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boudreau were in Chicago on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Curby left Tuesday to spend the hay fever season in Colorado.

Mrs. Arthur Lafond and Mrs. Artie Curby with Attorney and Mrs. Art Bohm of Waukegan attended the Legion convention in Springfield over the week-end.

Miss Nadine Francoeur of East Chicago spent several days with Miss Marie Giguere.

Mrs. Antoinette Lareau spent several days in Fowler with Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Dionne.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Muehlenkord and children of Chicago spent the week-end with Mrs. Delilah Nourie.

Mr. and Mrs. Isidore Malacher, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Chenore and Mrs. I. Lundgren of Kankakee visited Sunday with Sister Augustine of Holy Family academy and at the Ovid Arsenau and Beauce Chenore homes.

Miss Belma Lafond spent Thursday in Kankakee.

Mr. and Mrs. William Chartier and sons of Kankakee spent the week-end at the Elmer Martell home.

Vernon Regnier of St. Anne and Miss Helen Marie Nourie of Kankakee were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nourie.

Aaron Dube of Chicago spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dube.

Misses Alma and Angelina Fortin were in St. Anne on Saturday.

Misses Irene Dionne, Vivian Chenore and Helen Marie Nourie of Kankakee spent the week-end at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lafond and daughters were in Kankakee recently.

Mr. and Mrs. William Besseet, his brother and wife were Sunday guests of Miss Diana Francoeur.

Phillip and Viator Lafond, Gerald Martell, Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Arsenau and son were in St. Anne on Monday.

Leo Regnier of Kankakee spent Saturday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Boudreau were in Chicago on Saturday.

The household goods of the late Eugene Laney were sold at auction Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Arsenau are moving in his house.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Anderson and son of Chicago were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Arsenau.

Mrs. John Lawler of Harvey was a Saturday visitor at the Beauce Chenore home.

The Stanley Loftgren family of Chicago spent a few days at the Lionel Lareau home. Visitors were

Poor Sight Is Leading Cause Of Draft Rejections

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 29—(INS)—Uncle Sam has lost 22 per cent of his eligible fighting men because of defective eyesight—a menacing bottleneck to the nation's defense program.

That was the estimate given by Samuel G. Hibben, director of applied lighting for the Westinghouse company's electric lamp division. "Draft boards and army medical officers are forced to turn away 22 per cent of all draftees because their eyesight would be a hindrance in modern warfare," said Hibben. "Poor sight accounts for more rejections than any other disability except bad teeth."

Approximately 50 per cent of the population of the United States suffers from astigmatism and other visual defects. Hibben declared the condition largely on inadequate and defective lighting in homes, schools and industries.

The present alarming situation in sight shortcomings, explained the engineer, began some 20 years ago in a majority of the cases. When normal healthy children enter the average badly lighted school, eye trouble commences. From grade school through high school, 20 of every 100 students develop eye conditions, while 40 per cent of students at college acquire visual defects, Hibben estimated.

Averaging lighting in many homes of today is not much better optically than that in a well-lighted home of colonial times, the engineer asserted. Most houses, he said, could stand at least 100 per cent more illumination.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marlier and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCutchen of Waukegan, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nourie and daughter of Donovan, Mrs. William Chartier and son of Kankakee.

Alfred Nourie of Chicago spent the week-end with Junior Nourie.

The Hansen family moved Saturday from the S. A. Curby home to the Benjamin place. Mr. and Mrs. Curby are moving back from the farm to town.

Darrell Chenore of Calumet City spent Saturday with his grand-children Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Dionne. Recent visitors of Mrs. Florence Fortin and daughters were Eddie Fortin and son of Kankakee, Mrs. Stanley Loftgren and children of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boudreau took Nadine Francoeur back to her home in East Chicago on Monday after two weeks' visit here.

Miss Junella Lareau of Hammond spent the week-end at the Virgil Martell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Beauce Chenore were in St. Anne on Friday.

Miss Junella Lareu of Hammond spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. William Regnier.

Miss Vivian Chenore of Kankakee spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Chenore and son of Calumet City were there Friday.

The town school opens Tuesday and Holy Name academy on Sept. 9.

Vanadium was discovered in Peru in 1904 and that country supplies nearly 70 per cent of the world's present supply.

In normal times, the world's production of coal is about one billion tons a year.

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY
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Australian Premier

Arthur W. Fadden (above), Australia's deputy prime minister, was chosen to succeed Prime Minister Robert G. Menzies, who resigned.

Indiana Game Warden Meets A Quick Thinker

Washington, Ind., Aug. 29—(INS)—Wallace Foster is a zealous game warden, but his ardor was cooled by an old man on White river here.

Foster encountered the grizzled man seated on a log near the stream.

"Fishing?" inquired the game warden.

"Yep," the old fellow replied. "How are you fishing?" Foster asked.

"Trout line." Got two of 'em stretched across the river.

"Having any luck?"

"Fair to middlin'." Got a nice string of cats.

"Have you a fishing license?" asked Foster.

"Nope," the man replied. "Perhaps you don't know who I am."

"I'm the game warden."

"The heck you are," the man said. "Maybe you don't know who I am."

"No, I don't know your name, but that makes no difference," said the officer.

"Well," said the man as he aimed a mouthful of tobacco juice at a cat six feet away. "I'm the biggest liar on the river."

About 35 per cent of the nation's lumber comes from the states in the Pacific northwest.

Tobacco contains from two to seven per cent nicotine. It is practically absent in tobacco produced in Turkey.

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Continuous Shows Both Days
Doors Open at 1:30 P. M.

"THEY MET IN BOMBAY"

CLARK GABLE and ROSALIND RUSSELL
CARTOON - NEWS AND SPORTS REEL
Shows Sunday at 2:00, 4:10, 6:20, 8:30 and 10:40

Motor Capital Ranks 1941 As A Real Boom Year

Detroit, Aug. 29—(INS)—The prosperity of 1929 is overshadowed by only one other year—1941—as far as Detroit is concerned.

Detroiters are weeping no more for the good old days, for they weren't so good after all, according to Detroit board of commerce figures, compiled for the first six months of this year.

The dollar buys more now than it did then. In 1929 the shopper paid 18 per cent more on each dollar than he will now. He can buy five pairs of socks for the price he paid for four then. Department store basic sales are up 20 per cent now over 1929.

True—prices are slowly rising now, but efforts are being made to maintain a normal meat. The sky was the limit in 29.

The average 1929 factory worker earned about \$29.60 and this same fellow today is receiving about \$42. A lot of automobiles are being produced now, in fact 3,142,433 for the first six months of 41 in 29 3,413,804, but this year's figures have been hampered by strikes, curtailment and model postponement.

On January 1, 1941, there were 183,363 more automobiles registered in Detroit's Wayne county than in 1929. In the first six months of 1929 there were 83,497 trucks sold. For the same period this year there were 101,071.

Miss Verna Beland of Ashkum is staying at the Glen Raymond home where she will be employed while Mrs. Raymond is teaching school this year.

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